THE Carmel Valley SUN

December 15, 1994

Mrs. Claus and Santa Claus arrive in their plane for the annual Santa fly-in at Carmel Valley Airport. 500 children, friends and parents attended. A free video of this year's fly-in is available to local residents from Valley Video or Hacienda Video, filmed by Fred Boeve, courtesy of the Carmel Valley Sun. photo - Virginia Parke

CUSD's Baldwin ends reign

by Mary Beth Bowman

Wanted: a veritable wizard in the world of public education administration; a person who can make tough decisions, be a mediator, draw the line, speak in fluent "bottom line" and enforce policy with integrity and compassion. In short, the Carmel Unified School District seeks a new superintendent in light of Vance Baldwin's resignation for retirement purposes. The outgoing superintendent announced his leave-taking at the district office December 8, and made it official and public at the regular board meeting that same evening.

A parent at the meeting expressed to Baldwin the hope that he will be around for a while, perhaps helping out in the wings as the surprising transition occurs. Baldwin said he has mixed feelings about his decision; after all it is a "significant lifestyle change," and that he is thinking about what he will do next and how he would stay involved.

After 38 years in public education, he sums it up simply as "It is time for me -- it is time for the district to have a change of leadership." Baldwin served four years as superintendent and a total of ten years in this district.

In his resignation letter, he wrote: "Certainly it has been a rewarding and enriching experience that I leave with a sense of accomplishment and the deepest respect and admiration for the people that made it happen . . . a caring and involved Board . . . a dedicated and professional staff . . . and a very supportive community."

The typically reticent Baldwin ended his missive by extending a special thanks to the Board of Education for the opportunity to be "your superintendent . . . It was a great run!"

The retirement date is not specific; Baldwin said it would be sometime this summer. Meanwhile, the district begins the daunting task of replacing Baldwin with an open letter requesting proposals from prospective search advisors. The deadline for submitting written proposals is January 6. A special board meeting will be held January 17 to appoint a search advisor.

The board will meet in regular session January 12 and January 26. Both meetings are scheduled for 7 p.m. at Carmel Middle School

Valley Road committee gives report for future plans

The Carmel Valley Road Improvement Committee (CVRIC) has submitted 38 recommendations to the Monterey County Board of Supervisors concerning Carmel Valley road.

The "pro - safety" report from the Supervisor appointed CVRIC based on months of committee and community meetings. The CVRIC executive summary report follows, intact:

Carmel Valley Master Play (according to CVRIC).

Since the CVMP was approved eight years ago, traffic on Carmel Valley Road has increased about 22% in the upper and middle valley and about 35% at the mouth of the valley. The annual rate of increase is considerably greater than the average traffic increase in Monterey County as a whole. The sources of this traffic increase are not well understood.

The CVMP recommends four-laning the 4.4 mile stretch of Carmel Valley Road from Via Petra to Robinson Canyon Road. A traffic "trigger" added to the plan by order of Judge Richard Silver specifies that if traffic service on any one of 12 road segments falls below a threshold level, the County must either make improvements to restore the level of service or impose a moratorium on all development within the CVMP area.

The trigger was "pulled" in December 1991 on Segment 6, the portion of Carmel Valley Road between Schulte Road and Robinson Canyon Road. Three years have elapsed since then. No road improvements have been made to restore the mandated level of service.

Development has continued without limitation other than payment of a traffic impact fee which was initiated two years ago. This traffic impact fee was intended to fund a $13.6 million program of improvements, but only $150,000 has been collected. The fee is obviously inadequate to fund meaningful

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Births

Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula announces the following births:

On November 21, a daughter, Bridget Riley, was born to Todd and Marna McCabe of Carmel Valley.

On November 30, a daughter, Kathleen Rose Wilcox, was born to Warren adn Pamela Wilcox of Carmel.

A PLACE IN THE SUN Virginia Parke

Christmas gift buying opportunities offered a more personal touch at the 14th Annual artist Christmas Fair held at the Mid Valley Shopping Center. Outstanding creations were offered by local artist. **Caroll Baker** was observed in the process of hand painting an elegant silk scarf. Photographer **Peter McArthur** presented a few of his striking black and white photos. **Hiroshi Ogawa** exhibited oriental influenced pottery. **Ann Vermillion** and **Melissa Lofton** displayed brilliantly hand painted boxes, vases and candle holder. Imaginary creatures could be seen lurking near ceramic artist **Linda Christy**. Contemporary stained glass artist **Alan Masaoka's** works evoked an abstract sense of serenity. **Mariso Potters** created art pieces in sophisticated pastels as did artist **Renee McClue.** Bronze sculptured animals were captured in action poses by **Mark Andrew**. Flowing and inspirational calligraphy by **Debra Ferrebocuf** was shown in simple matte frames. **Nancy Holm** had baskets filled with home-made delectables.

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The 7th Annual Toy Fair held at the Carmel Valley Community Youth Center December 3 produced giggles, bartering and fun for all participants. It was a wonderful opportunity for children age 6 through 12 to exercise their recycling and entrepreneur skill. The exhibitors included: **Keith** and **Blake Davie, Kyle Posada, Adam Thatcher, Chelsa** and **Max Bon Beltz, Melody Mosolf, Kyle Jones, Zachary Effron, Melina Franks, Dean Bogart, Ryan** and **Kevin MacMartin, Pam Priano, Jeffiner Erickson, Linda Ferrasci, Konrad Kozicki, Laurie Pike** and **Forest Kovach.** A good time was had by all according to coordinator, **Debi Effron.**

Glenn Stinson of Pebble Beach, CA, will compete against 340 top amateur golfers from across the United States for a share of the $60,000 charity purse at the Lexus Champions for Charity National Championship. The duo, whose winnings will benefit **Hospice of the Central Coast,** qualified for the National Championship at Carmel Valley ranch Resort on September 6. They are being sponsored by Lexus of Monterey Peninsula of Seaside, CA.

SHERIFF'S Log

12-5 A resident on Miramonte Road reported her mailbox was damaged the night of December 2nd. No suspects.

- The groundskeeping superintendent of a local golf club called to report someone had cut a six-inch base Monterey Pine down on a Pebble Beach easement on the Northwest side of Marchetta Road, Pebble Beach.
- A 7th Street, Carmel, resident called to report someone had removed a laptop computer from a dormitory room at a local school between November 16 and December 5. No forced entry was made. The computer, valued at $1500, was in a turquoise canvas case.
- A resident on Carmel Point reported malicious mischief was done at his residence for the previous two weeks. On 11/17 his garbage can was turned over; on 11/23 his mailbox was damaged; on 11/28 a pile of election signs were dumped in his driveway; on 12/2 a pumpkin was thrown against his garage door; between 12/3 and 12/4 small containers of BBQ sauce were thrown against his garage door . . . he requests area checks whenever possible.

12-6 A Prado Del Sol, Carmel Valley resident called to report someone removed numerous power tools from his unlocked garage between 10-15 and 12-5.

- A resident on Meadows Place, Carmel Valley, called to report finding a male friend of hers dead (of a gunshot wound) in the Carmel River bed.
- The manager of a Rio Road business reported a white male adult in his late 30s left without paying for $15.02 worth of gasoline.
- A teacher at a local school reported two of the tires on his sedan were punctured the previous Friday, while it was parked in the faculty parking lot. Estimated damage is $135.

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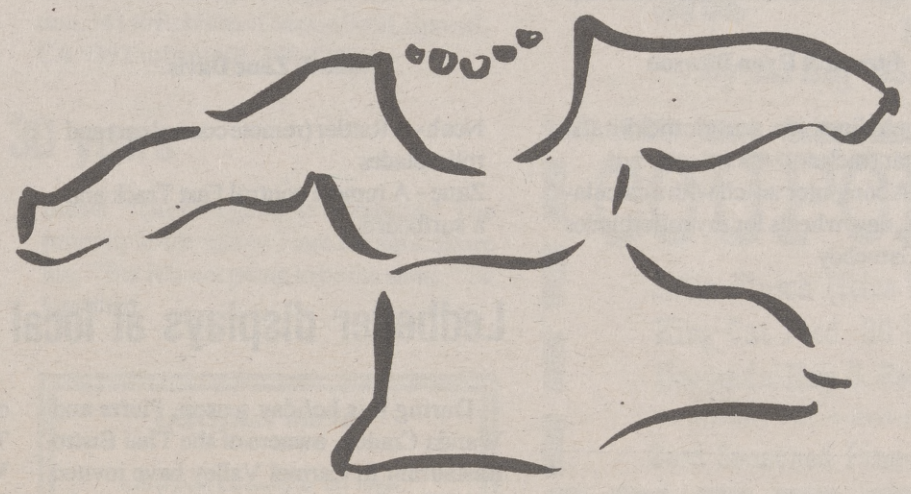

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VALLEY VIEWS Debi Effron

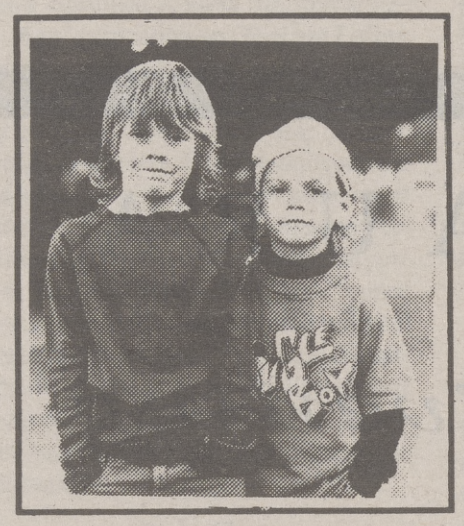
Q - What are you going to ask Santa for Christmas?

Robert & Reed Porter

Robert - Buckle rollerblades and a horse
Reed - My own computer, a Sega Genesis, a ramp (like Team Extremes), and a checkbook

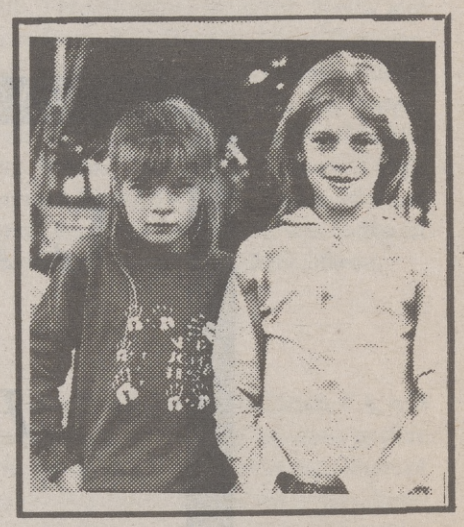
Steven & Ryan Dawson

Steven - A Ninetindo, a magic trick kit and a race car track
Ryan - A computer watch with a calculator in it, new wheels for my rollerblades and a Gameboy



Noah & Zane Davis

Noah - A Rattler (remote control car) and rollerblades
Zane - A remote control Fast Track and a surfboard



Hannah & Amanda Davis

Hannah - A bike and a big wooden playhouse
Amanda - A house and a bike

Ledbetter displays at local restaurant

During this holiday season, Pierre and Wanda Coutou, owners of the Thai Bistro Restaurant in Carmel Valley have invited artist Emy Ledbetter to exhibit her acrylic paintings on canvas from December 15th through January 20th. Emy's paintings reflect a for Eastern motif which complements their authentic Thai food.

In keeping with the spirit of the season, Emy Ledbetter has decided to donate 20% of all sales of original paintings sold at he THAI BISTRO Restaurant in Carmel Valley Village, during this time, to our local AIDS Project.

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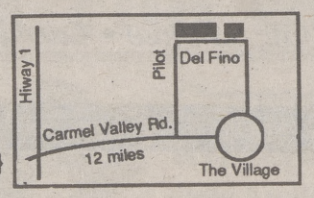

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San Carlos Foundation announces annual education awards

The Rancho San Carlos Education Foundation announced its fourth annual awards program for private, parochial and public school teachers in Monterey County who have successfully integrated nature studies in their classroom and outdoor curricula. A special award recognizing volunteer docents and naturalists who share nature with children and their families will also be given. Five cash awards of $500 will be presented to successful applicants.

Dr. Jeffrey Froke, president of the Foundation says, "The involvement of teachers and parents is critical to the development of children's passion and life - long caring for wild places and wild things. We cannot overstate the role of teachers in creating a conservation ethic in our society starting with their students, and the Rancho San Carlos Education Foundation is pleased to express its appreciation of these educators through this annual awards program."

The Foundation is particularly interested in creative learning opportunities that feature nature study in a broad range of curricular areas including whole language studies, mathematics, science, visual arts and social studies.

One award will be given to a teacher in each of four grade levels: pre - K through kindergarten; first through fifth; sixth through eighth; ninth through twelfth; and to volunteer docents/naturalists.

Application information please contact the Rancho San Carlos Education Foundation, 34140 Robinson Canyon Road, Carmel, CA 93923 ofcall 408/375-1747.

Farm family leaves after 30 years

By Virginia Parke

Santos and Julie Minjares - Mayargo are leaving Carmel Valley. To those who enjoyed buying their produce at Martin's vegetable and fruit stand on Carmel Valley Road at Schulte Road this is sad news. To long time friend and farming client, Dr. Joe Noto it is a very personal loss.

"They have been farming in the Valley for over 30 years. I enjoyed their honest, trustfulness and friendship," he relates. "This is an end of an era in our agricultural community." Santos and Julie are moving to the San Diego area to be near their daughter. Their son Roaul is a member of the fire department in Seaside.

Steve Grant, manager for the Schulte Road property, shared Dr. Noto's sentiments. "They are going to be missed." The property is for sale or lease for agriculture use. "But it is not going to be the same," he lamented.

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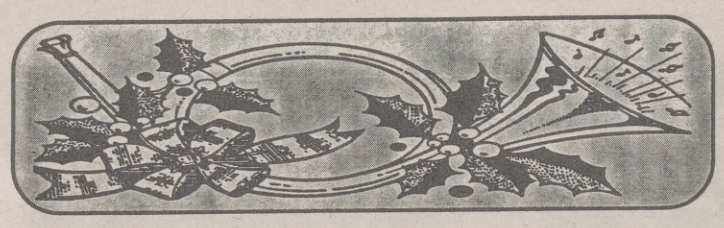

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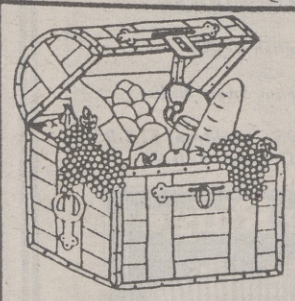

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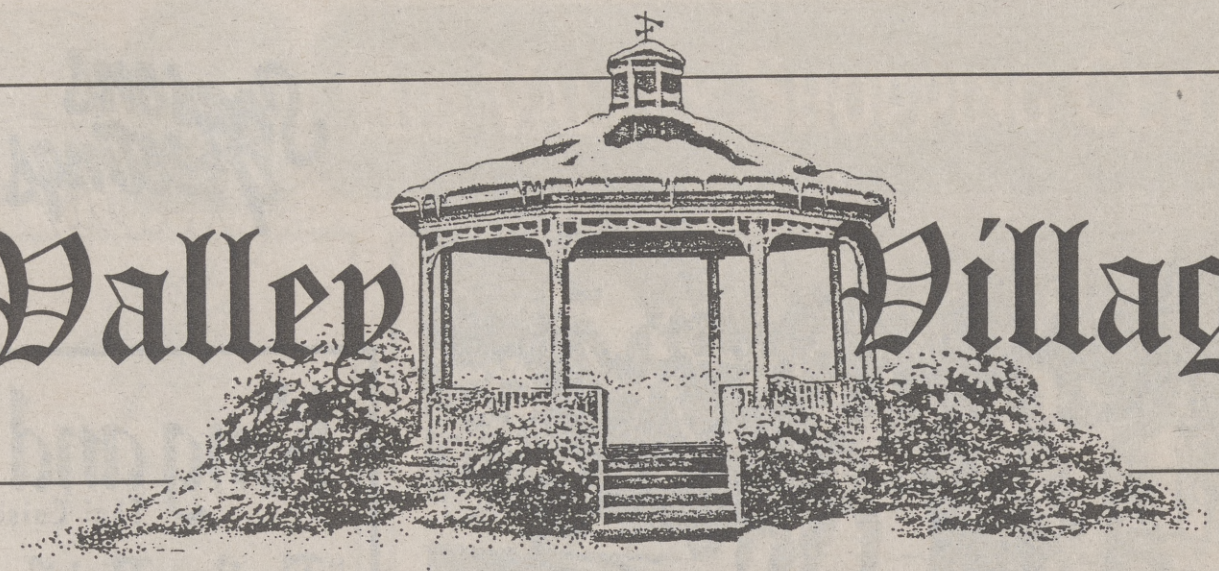

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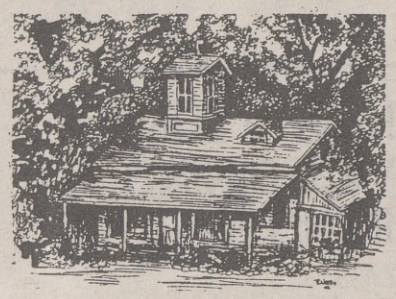

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Dave Nelson and the Hacienda team.

photo - Virginia Parke

Hay and Reggae

By Virginia Parke

That is what I said. There must be a country song here somewhere. There is definitely a fun - loving character named Dave Nelson. Dave, along with his partner Bob Zobel own and operate Hacienda Hay and Feed. Now you get the hay connection Reggae is another story.

It began after Dave had left college. He had received a degree in philosophy and decided to head for Jamaica. "You can either teach or be a bartender with that kind of degree," he observes. "In fact, bartending is how I put myself through school. After that I wanted to explore the world so I followed my soul and ended up producing reggae music in the US." His group would open for Santana on tours. "Not the techno - reggae of today, but the kind that still communicated the feelings and sufferings of the Jamaican people. Unfortunately , I was about 10 years too early."

Running a hand through his sandy colored hair, usually hidden by his trusty cowboy hat, Dave recalls the satisfaction he felt working with the band. "They were very careful observers, they would not trust you if they felt you were not telling the truth or trying to con them in any way."

For Dave, a life - long pattern of exploration had taken adventure. Fast foods. Not the drive - in variety. The college campus push cart culinary variety. The god - saving at finals time fast foods. Barnyard smells drift through the open window of his closet size office as he recalls, "We were very successful. The Berkeley campus was alive with protest and ideas about changing the world. The students would cluster around the cart debating sweeping political issues." Then another event set him on a different path. He was married and began a family.

"I worked in the electronic distribution business. We exported to the Pacific Rim countries," he states. Dave moved around during this adventure. He traveled to Hawaii, Washington State and then back to Fresno. "I was born in Sacramento. As the children got older, I had the urge to find a place I felt was safe to raise them." A pig squeals outside the window as he relates his

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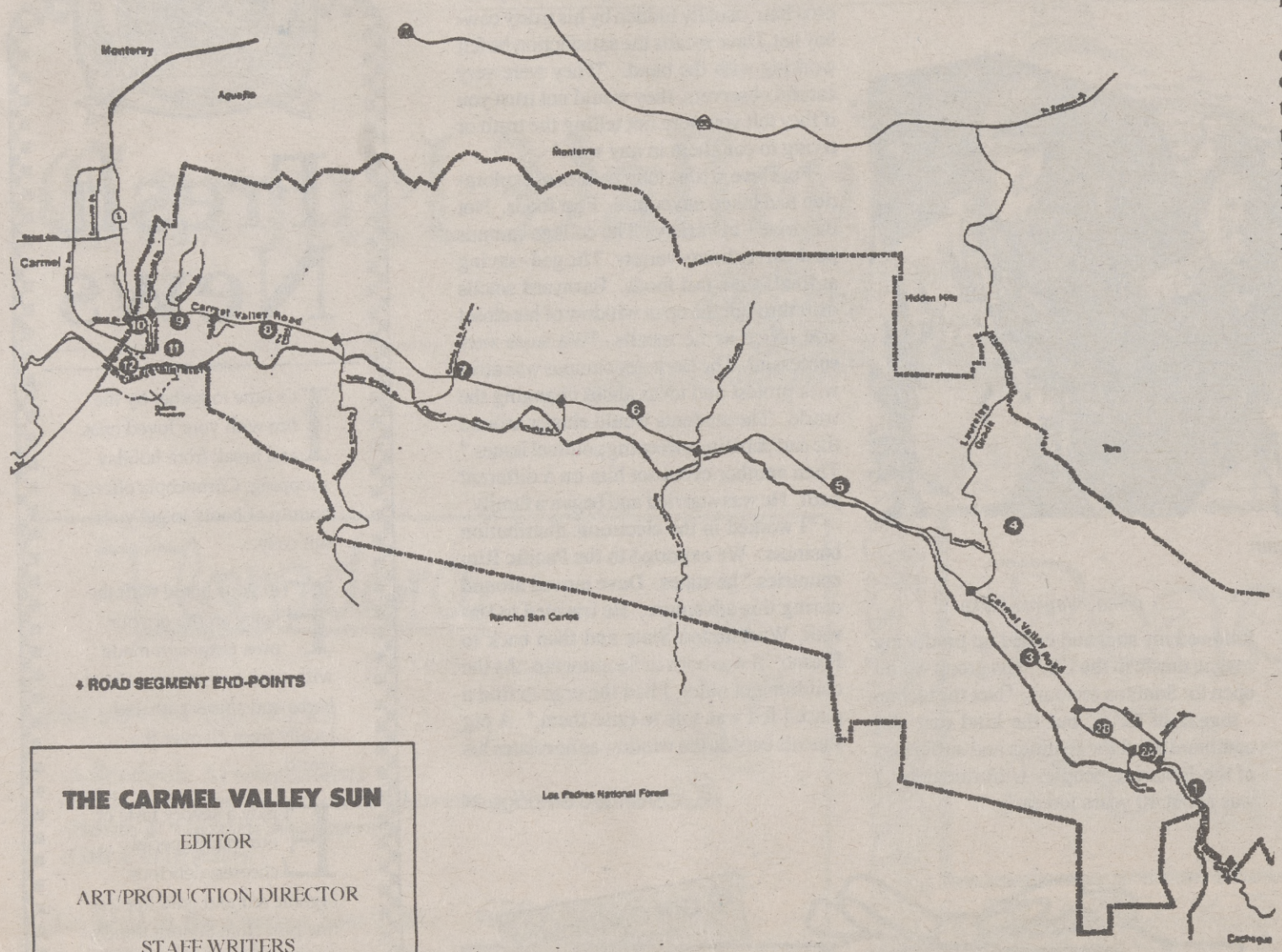

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improvements. No other funding source has been identified.

This inability to fund improvements required to support planned development is exactly whtat was foreseen by the litigation that prompted Judge Silver to impose the traffic trigger. Arguably, the County is now in violation of Judge Silver's order, and a moratorium on all development in Carmel Valley is required to comply with the Master Plan.

The county has completed two environmental impact reports on road improvements. The Board of Supervisors in 1993 directed Public Works to design eastbound and westbound passing lanes (i.e., four-laning) for a 1/3 mile section of Segment 6 between Loma Del Rey and Carmel Valley Manor. These passing lanes are estimated to cost $840,000 in 1992 dollars, but the County has not identified funding for this project.

Construction of these passing lanes would increase capacity on Segment 6, thereby restoring the previous level of service. This would comply with the County's legal obligations under the traffic trigger provision of the Master Plan. From a safety perspective, however, Segment 6 is not a desirable area for passing lanes due to the large number of driveways and side streets, including the entrance to the senior community at Carmel Valley Manor.

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Recommendations

The committee finds a strong community consensus on several points. First is strong opposition to further four -laning of Carmel Valley Road, including the addition of passing lanes which are, in effect, short sections of four - lane road.

Second the prinicipal traffic problem in Carmel Valley is the bottleneck at the mouth of valley, not congestion on the two - lane portion of Carmel Valley Road. Third, on the two - lane portion of the road, the principal problem is a safety problem, how to get off and on the road safely to and from the multitude of side streets and driveways. It is not a problem of capacity, allowing more cars to move at the speed limit from one end of Carmel Valley Road to the other.

Since the trigger requires capacity improvements to facilitate development rater than safety improvements desired by the community, the committee concludes that the trigger distorts road planning priorities. It impedes the most cost - effective expenditure of limited road improvement funds.

Therefore, the committee recommends that the trigger be deleted from the Master Plan and replace by a more flexible standard.

This recommendation will suprise many Carmel Valley residents, as the traffic trigger has been regarded as valuable protection against pressures for overdevelopment. However, the trigger has now served the purpose for which it was intended. It is requiring the County to confront the issue of road improvements as they relate to level of development in Carmel Valley and neighboring areas. If it is retained in the Master Plan, it will force construction of passing lanes in Segment 6 -- which are not desired by the community and will divert scarce funds from more needed improvements.

In return for the community giving up the trigger and accepting a lower level of service on Carmel Valley road, the committee recommends that current development quotas and zoning densities for all areas that depend upon Carmel Valley Road should be extended indefinitely so that they define ultimate buildout.

For example, the existing quota of 1,310 new dwelling units that can be built in Carmel Valley during the 20 - year life (1987 - 2006) of the Master Plan should become a permanent cap on final buildout of Carmel Valley. This can be accomplished without diminishing anyone's current property rights.

To achieve this, the committee recom-

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12-7 and 12-14 (6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m.) **Learn How to Save Lives in Community Hospital CPR Class.** You can earn one of two levels of certification from the American Heart Association. Level A is recommended for the general public, and Level B is recommended for those who have contact with children. Registration is required and you must attend both sessions. $30. For registration and information call 625-4708.

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12-15 Pot luck **Christmas party** and dinner for all **Carmel chapter Red Cross volunteers** will be held at the chapter headquarters, 8th at Dolores in Carmel. The party will be from 5 to 6:30 p.m. following the monthly board meeting from 3 to 4:30p.m. Spouses of volunteers are also invited to attend.

12-16 (2 to 4 p.m.) **Festive Christmas Tea** at the historic little First Murphy House in Murphy Park, Lincoln at 6th, Carmel-by-the-Sea.

12-16 (7p.m.) Join Leah & Nohlan at the **Circle of Light**. Tonight's speaker is Ellias, aka William Lonsdale. Musical guest Karen Lynn Ingalls. $6 admission/$3 seniors. Call 647-9516 for more information.

12-17 and 12-19 (9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.) **Safe Sitter class** at Community Hospital for babysitters ages 11 to 13. In addition to safety and rescue breathing skills, the class will explain how to take care of household accidents, problems to expect with children of different ages, and the ethics of babysitting. Advance registration required and you must attend both sessions. $40. For registration or information call 625-4708.

12-17 **Candlelight & Carols** at the Prunetree Shopping Center of Prunedale, sponsored by the Merchants' Association.

12-17 & 18 (3-5p.m.) Meet **ceramic artist Shanti** for a Christmas Open House at the Ledbetter Gallery on Lincoln between Ocean & 7th in the Morgan Court. Featured will be the artists' Raku Water Gardens, clocks and picture frames. Refreshments. 626-9252 or 625-4175 for more information.

12-17 (9 a.m.) **Garland Park Nature Walk** 2-3 hours. Moderate. Meet at Visitor Center.

12-17 (8p.m.) **Leap for Joy**-A special re-telling of the Nativity with music and dance. Excerpts from the Dance Kids, Inc., Carmel Ballet Academy production of The Nut-cracker & March of the Little Angels. Songs and carols from around the world under the musical direction of Serena Underwood. Please join us at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church in Carmel Valley Village. For additional information call 659-2231.

Holiday Craft Workshop for Kids and Grown-ups. The SPCA of Monterey County invites children and adults to a holiday craft workshop: December 17: ages 4 and up can make a farm-animal puppet glove and visit the SPCA's barnyard animals. Cost: $13/members, $18/Non-members. $8 for each additional child. The workshop will meet from 10 a.m. to noon at the Education Center of the SPCA of Monterey County. Children must be accompanied by an adult. For reservations call 373-2631 or 422-4721, ext. 222.

12-17 (1:30 to 3:30 p.m.) **Birthday Party for Lesley and Judy** at the Harrison Memorial Library. Mission and 6th, Carmel. No presents please-your company is gift enough.

12-18 (3-7p.m.) The Friends of the Monterey County Symphony will present a **Victorian Christmas** at the Old Gallatin Powers Estate, 817 Martin Street, in Monterey. House & Garden Tour, Buffet with wine and holiday beverages. Chamber Music preformed by members of the Monterey County Symphony. Reservations: 624-8511 (by 12-14) . $25 per person.

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12-20 through 12-23 **Reading and Film Festival** at the Harrison Memorial Library, Mission and 6th, Carmel. Movies will be shown at 2 p.m. every day and you will be able to check out a book to match your favorite film. 624-4664 for details.

12-21 (9:15a.m.) The **Transportation Agency for Monterey County** (TAMC) will hold a **Public Hearing** for the **Route 1 and Carmel Valley Road, vicinity Carmel, Deficiency Plan**. The hearing will be at the Salinas Community Center, 940 N. Main St., Salinas at which time any and all interested persons may appear and be heard. Copies of the Deficiency Plan are available for review at the TAMC office, 312 E. Alisal St., Salinas.

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Thru December - **Chanukah Toy Exhibit**. Hand-crafted dolls and animals by Kayla Perper. At the Congregation Beth Israel, 5716 Carmel Valley Road. 624-2015.

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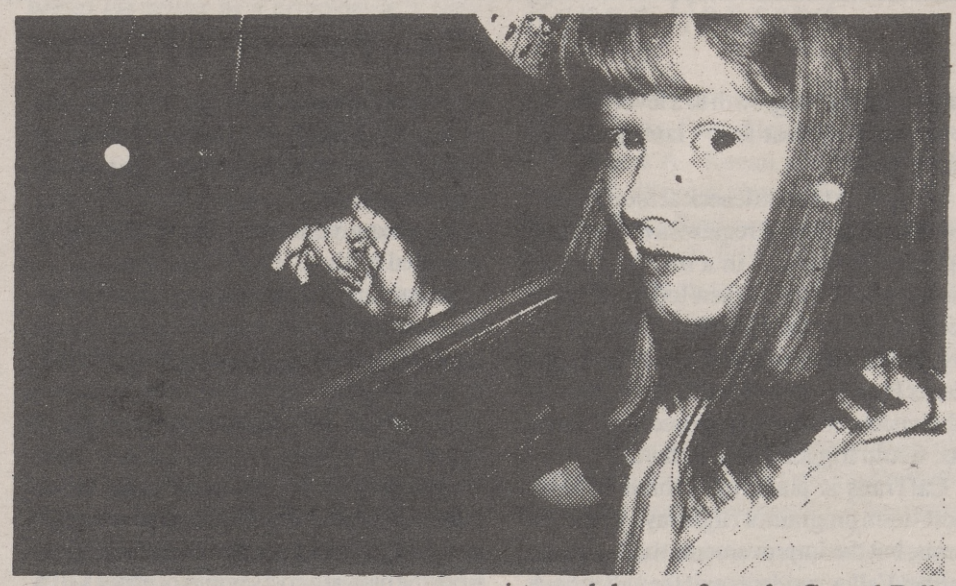

"Leap For Joy," a Christmas pageant, will be performed on Saturday, December 17 at 7:30 PM at Our Lady of Mount Carmel church in Carmel Valley.

The performance will depict the Christmas story with characters and narration. A ten voice choir, a musical ensemble, soloists, and dancers from the Carmel Ballet Academy will accompany the program.

The program is directed and produced by Walt deFaria and the music will be directed by Serena Underwood. Admission is free. Refreshments will be sold to benefit the church.

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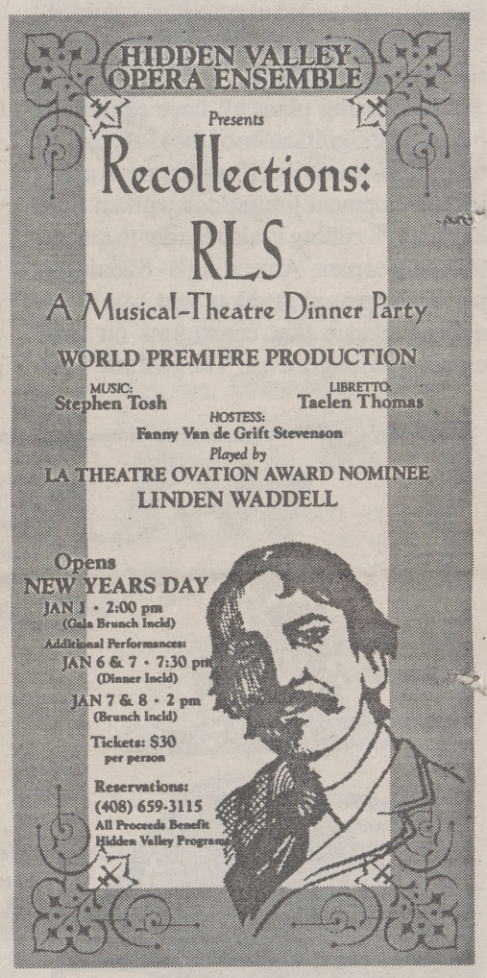
Tuesday	Homework Center	2 to 4 p.m.	Ages 7 to 18
	Adult Art Class	9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.	Adults
	Karate	3 to 4 p.m.	Ages 10-16
		4 to 5 p.m.	Ages 6-9.
Wednesday	Homework Center	2 to 4 p.m.	Ages 7 to 18
	Aikido	6 to 8 p.m.	All Ages
Thursday	Homework Center	2 to 4 p.m.	Ages 7 to 18
	Karate	3 to 4 p.m.	Ages 10-16
		4 to 5 p.m.	Ages 6-9
	Line Dancing	7 to 9 p.m.	All ages
Sunday	Wellspring Church	8:30 to 12:30 p.m.	

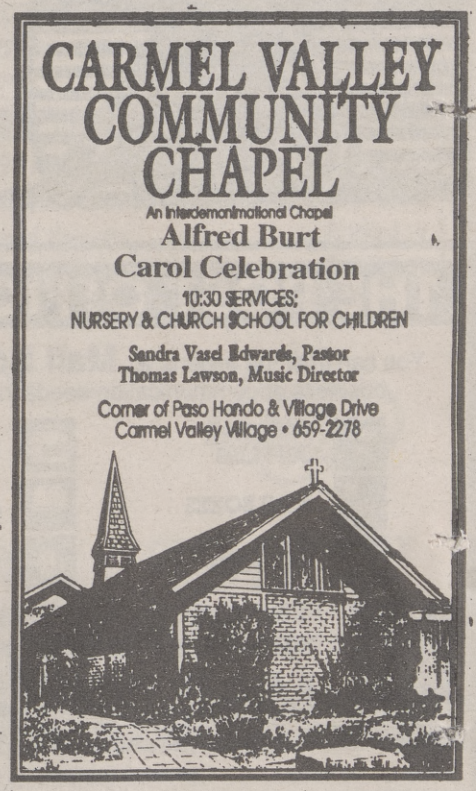
Ink wash show scheduled

An Ink Wash show by Jane Whitson is currently on display at Hair Pin Alley Gallery, Seventh and San Carlos, Carmel. The show will run to January 29.

In a review written by Sam Coburn of a previous Jane Whitson Water Color show, Sam said, "Her work was sophisticated primitive with good use of space."

This show consists of large ink washes of figures protraying exciting movement.





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mends adopting B - 8 zoning for what we call the Carmel Valley Traffic Impact Area. This includes all of the CVMP area plus parts of the Cachagua Area Plan and Greater Monterey Penisula Area Plan areas where primary access is via Carmel Valley Road.

B - 8 zoning is used when infrastructure constraints rquire limitation of development. There are financial, enviromental, and physical constraints on expanding the capacity of Carmel Valley road Exemptions may be provided for development which is consistent with infrastructure capacity. In this case, recommended exemptions would allow all development currently permitted by the existing area plans.

The existing plans all have expiration dates. The significance of the B - 8 zoning with exemption is that it would extend existing development limitations without time limit. B - 8 zoning is also harder to amend than an area plan. Amending B - 8 zoning to permit increased development would require evidence that constraints on road capacity no longer exist. The goal is to limit long - term traffic growth to a level that can be serviced without four - laning Carmel Valley Road.

Regarding the bottleneck at the mouth of the valley, the CVMP requires a moratorium on new development in a timely manner. Creation of 59 or more new lots by subdivision under the Master Plan quota would trigger the moratorium threshold in the Master Plan. (Approval fo the Carmel Greens subdivision, which is proposed for 71 new lots, would trigger this threshold.)

CalTrans is planning a three - phase, short - term program of Highway 1 improvements, but the improvements that will help Carmel Valley residents exit the valley have been relegated to the bottom of the list. They are to be considered only after the first three phases are completed, and funding for all the work is uncertain.

If CalTrans is unwilling to adjust the Highway 1 project priorities to ensure timely completion of a climbing lane on Highway 1 from Carmel Valley Road to Morse Drive and a second west - to - northbound turn lane from Carmel Valley Road to Highway 1, the Board of Supervisors should fund these improvements. The County should front the money and reimburse itself with fees collected from new development in the area of benefit. If the County cannot fund these improvements in a timely manner, a moratorium on new development in Carmel Valley will be required if and when the threshold specified by the CVMP is reached.

Regarding the rest of Carmel Valley Road, the committee has reviewed the 1991 long - term improvement plan prepared by Public Works. We have identified those improvements which are needed now at a cost of about $8.8 million in 1992 dollars, those which will probably be needed in the future at an estimated cost of $12.2 million in 1992 dollars, and those which should be deleted from the plan at a cost savings of about $10.6 million in 1992 dollars.

Safety improvements needed now are left turn pockets and acceleration lanes at intersection between Ford Road and the mouth of the valley. These will help drovers get on and off of Carmel Valley Road. Also needed are sight - distance improvements at Dorris Drive, shoulder widening between Laureles Grade and Pilot Road (only where this is possible without removing oaks and eucalyptus), and bicycle lane improvements.

One capacity improvement is also needed now. The long - planned extension of Rio Road to join Carmel Valley Road at Rancho Canada should be completed as soon as possible.

Potential future needs are improvements on Laureles Grade and an underpass for southbound left turns from Laureles Grade on to Carmel Valley Road. If passing lanes on Carmel Valley Road are needed in the future, they should be located by September Ranch and Garland Park.

Although the committee recognizes a traffic congestion problem at Carmel Middle School, it opposes the Public Works recommendation to install a traffic signal there. Other solutions are recommended, including a new entrance to the Middle School from the proposed Rio Road extension. The congestion at All Saints School also needs to be addressed.

The committee makes a number of recommendations related to improve enforcement and signage. These include purchase of a portable radar speed board that informs drivers how fast they are going, coupled with aggressive enforcement by the CHP.

Improvements that are needed now should be funded through some combination of conditions imposed on development approvals, adjusting the basic traffic impact fee paid by new construction, and allocating Federal, State, and County monies available to Public Works. The committee anticipates that full funding for all improvements will depend upon eventual voter approval of a County-wide sales tax or gasoline tax increase dedicated exclusively for transportation improvements.

The committee recommends the Board of Supervisors now allocate $5 million of Public Works funds to a near - term (3 to 5 years) program of safety improvements. This $5 million is what the County is now required, or soon will be required, to spend to build passing lanes between Loma Del Rey and Carmel Valley Manor ($840,000 in 1992 dollars) and opposite September Ranch ($3,730,000 in 1992 dollars) to meet the legal requirements of Judge Silver's traffic trigger order.

Although we have recommended deleting the LOS trigger from the Master Plan, this recommendation is conditional upon funding of road improvements. It is not the committee's intention to relieve the Board of Supervisors of its legal obligation under the CVMP to either fund improvements or impose a moratorium on further development. Our recommendation is intended only to provide the flexibility that allows these funds to be spent in the most cost - effective manner to meet community needs.

The committee gave serious consideration to forming a benefit assessment district whereby all property owners in Carmel Valley, parts of Cachagua, and Rancho San Carlos would pay an annual assessment to fund road improvements. We do not believe such a program would have sufficient public support at this time.

Pages 30 to 34 of the report contain an index to the 38 recommendations for action by the Board of Supervisors, Public Works, or the Planning and Building Inspection Department.

The full text is available at the CV SUN - Carmel Valley Village - 659 - 7000.

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OBITUARIES

CELIA PEREZ CALDERON

Celia Perez Calderon, 83, died at the home of her daughter, Heide Saenz, of congestive heart failure. She had moved here recently to be with her daughter.

A native of Mexico, Mrs. Calderon was born on September 7, 1911; she was a homemaker for 45 years, and was a member of the United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Calderon is survived by her son Carlos Calderon of Valinda; a daughter, Carmen Castandeda, of Anaheim; her daughter, Heide Saenz of Carmel; a daughter, Maria Calderon, of Simi Valley; her sister, Tillie Garcia of Glendora; 8 grandchildren; and 2 great-grandchildren.

Environmental activist Rudd Crawford dies

Rudd Adams Crawford, 86, of Carmel Valley, a retired principal of Pacific Grove Junior High School and a dedicated environmental activist, died in his sleep at his home.

Born Feb. 18, 1908, in Chongqing, China, the son of a teacher, he lived in China until he was 11, then moved with his family to Pasadena. He had lived on the Monterey Peninsula for more that 40 years, the last four at Hacienda Carmel in Carmel Valley.

Mr. Crawford earned a bachelor's degree at Occidental College in 1930 and a master's degree at Columbia University in 1936. He began his career as a principal at a New Jersey junior high school, moving in 1953 to Pacific Grove.

In 1979, Mr. Crawford was honored with the Sierra Club's highest national award for his leadership in the establishment of the Ventana Wilderness in Los Padres National Forest in 1969 and for working to enlarge the wilderness area in 1977.

He was also cited in that award for his contribution to the Ventana chapter of the Sierra Club's year - round weekend outings program and for his work in bringing a Santa Cruz group of 1,000 members into the chapter.

Mr. Crawford also was active in the campaign for the creation of Jacks Peak Park, the Yosemite Master Plan and the California Coastal Plan. He served as a member of the Monterey Peninsula Regional Park District board for 10 years.

He served two terms as chairman of the Ventana chapter of the Sierra Club, as well as two terms on the chapter's executive committee, and served on the Open Space Advisory Committee for the Pebble Beach foundation.

He was also a member of the Pacific Grove Rotary Club and the Church of the Wayfarer.

He is survived by his wife, Mary; two sons, Rudd Jr. of Oberlin, Ohio, and Paul of Port Angeles, Wash; a brother, Paul of Santa Barbara; and a sister, Jean Haugen of Oslo, Norway; and four grandchildren.

Memorial services were held at 2 P.M. Tuesday at the Church of the Wayfarer. The Paul Mortuary is in charge of arrangements.

The family suggests that any memorial contribution be sent to the college scholarship fund at the Church of the Wayfarer in Carmel.

Kenan Honored

On December 16 - 18 in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, Carmel resident, Major General Thomas A. Kenan will be honored, along with all the members of the 2nd Battalion, 22 Infantry Regiment, who fought in the Osweiler region WWII's Battle of the bulge campaign. The ceremonies are being held as an expression of the gratitude of the Luxembourg peoples and commemorate the battle's 50th Anniversary.

General Kenan was the commanding officer and guiding inspiration during the battle that broke through to Osweiler. They counterattacked and held the last assaulted American position on the southern parameter of the Battle until relieved on January 5, 1945. The 2nd Battalion's actions were to assist the hard pressed 12th Infantry Division at Echternach and Osweiler.

Luxembourg is bordered by Belgium, West Germany and France and was vital to the Allies' offensive strategy. A plaque will be unveiled at an Osweiler school building on December 18 by the reserve officers of Luxembourg, delegates of the 22nd Infantry, the mayor and a representative of the U.S. Embassy.

Chamber gives $2700 to the Youth Center

The Carmel Valley Chamber of Commerce presented a check for $2,7000 to the Carmel Valley Community Youth Center during the 2nd annual Village Tree Lighting ceremony held December 3 at the CV Community Park.

The donation was from proceeds from the CV Chamber's first and very successful "Great Bowls of Chili" cook - off held on September 19th at the Holman Ranch in Carmel Valley.

The CV Community Youth Center is located at Carmel Valley and Ford Rds. offering year round recreation and educational activities with a park, seasonal pool and newly opened homework center for elementary through high school youth. For more information call Tim or Debi at 659-3983 or Fax 659-9373.

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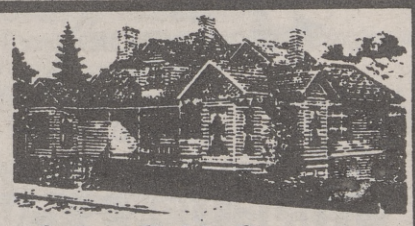

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Ski club meets Friday

The Carmel Ski Club is holding its December T.G.I.T. (Thank Goodness It's Thursday) Social Hour from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the Bay Park Hotel, 1450 Munras, Monterey, on Thursday December 8th.

The club is open to those all ages and skiing abilities from beginner to expert. Persons interested in the club, its activities or the lodge at lake Tahoe are invited to attend this get together. For further information call 648-4140.

Kiwanis give $1000 to homework center

"The Carmel Valley Kiwanis Club made a $1000 contribution to the Carmel Valley Community Youth Center for the purchase of a computer for the homework computer lab.

The system will be one of three in the lab which was developed in conjunction with the homework center which opened in October. The new computer will be installed this month and a large library of CD ROOM reference material, math, reading, and writing software will be installed for the use of school age youth. This contribution by the Kiwanis is even more notable as members also work as volunteers in the center.

The Homework Center is open Monday through Thursday from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.. For information on working as a volunteer or to provide funding for this program call the CV Youth Center at 659-3983 or Fax 659-9373.

Youth Center to get race funds

The Carmel Valley Community Youth Center, was one of 66 local organizations which received part of over $400,000 given back to the community by SCRAMP for the 1994 Laguna Seca race season. The Youth Center and volunteers form the community and Carmel High School, provided parking services for this year race events.

The Youth Center is located in the Carmel Valley Village and provides recreational facilities and a homework center for school age children who reside in the valley. The center will use the funds for ongoing programs. Contact 659-3983 for more information.

Carmel Valley hosts Seaside Rotarians

The Seaside Rotary celebrated Christmas giving time by donating over $400 to to the Women's Abuse Program of Seaside, and giving bundles of toys to the Salvation Army to distribute to needy children.

This giving took place at the club's Christmas Party which was held on December 10th at the Carmel Valley Inn.

Committee members for the party, wives of club members, were Joanne Sullivan, Barbara Ward, Marsha Casas, Marlene Butler and Frances Butler.

Local bank announces dividend

Monterey County Bank (MCB) announced today that its board of directors has declared a cash dividend of $0.10 per share -- the bank's first dividend since 1981.

The dividend will be paid on December 19, 1994 to shareholders of record as of December 16, 1994.

"The fact that this payment was approved by the State Banking Department is tangible evidence of how much has been accomplished since the dark days of 1987," said Charles T. Chrietzberg, Jr., chairman, president and chief executive officer. Before Chrietzberg joined the bank in 1987, the bank had been unprofitable for a number of years.

The bank returned to profitability in 1988 and shareholders' equity has more than doubled since then. "Banking regulators require certain capital, reserve and earnings levels to be met before cash dividends are paid," Chrietzberg explained.

State Park docent training offered

California State Parks is taking applicants for its next docent training class starting February 8,1995. During the eight week training program, topics will cover period clothing, cultural history, preservation, interpreting to children and adults, and Monterey's past, people and historic buildings. Training classes will be held at the Stanton Center, near Fisherman's Wharf from 6 to 9 p.m., and on two Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2p.m. for historical and garden tours of downtown Monterey.

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Sheriff's Log

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- The manager of a local motel/restaurant reported having received an anonymous phone call from a male who said that he was going to machine gun everyone at that location.
  A local restaurant reported the theft of a $4000 tapestry from the dining area. A resident of Fort Ord was contacted and the tapestry was recovered.
- A resident on East Garzas Road reported having been involved in a dispute with a resident on Paso Hondo Road. He claims to have been brandished with a handgun and that his truck windshield was smashed with a rock.
- A Gorda man reported his residence was burglarized sometime between 9 a.m. and 1:45 p.m. this day. Numerous items were taken to include a 6 string guitar, an electric guitar, electronic chromatic guitar tuner, canned goods, color TV, clothing, gasoline powered weed eater, compound miter saw, bench top drill press and chain saw. Tire tracks left in the driveway indicate that the suspect vehicle had a short wheel base.
- A resident on Larkin reported the theft of a backpack and jacket form his girlfriend's unsecured car while it was parked in his driveway. This occurred between 6:30 and 11:30 p.m.

12-7 A Bristol Lane, Pebble Beach resident reported a damaged water pipe and lawn furniture on the side of her house. She is seldom there and this spot is a favorite party place for a group of local students.

- Security at a Crossroads business reported to have an elderly white male adult in custody for shoplifting. The man, 67, was cited for shoplifting a Christmas ornament valued at $9.75.
- A Mesa Drive, Carmel resident reported receiving several suspicious telephone calls from a Chicago-based research company asking a few questions for a survey.
- A caller reported from a Carmel Rancho business that a subject in a new vehicle had opened up his car door, hitting the caller's front left fender and making a dent. The subject would not exchange driving information or insurance information with him. Both parties worked it out with information.

12-8 Life-line, CHOMP, requested a check be made on a resident on Manor Road, Monterey, as he did not answer his phone. He was found to be out of town. Life-line was notified.

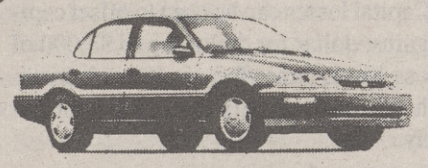
- The principal of Carmel High School reported that a dismissed student, 15, was on campus after several warnings that he not to be at that location.
- A resident on Flanders Drive, Carmel, reported her husband was overdue from his walk. He was located and returned home by a deputy.
- A resident on Tassajara Road, Carmel Valley, reported being threatened the previous afternoon.
- A Sloat Road resident reported a civil dispute with a resident of Capitola.

12-9 A resident on S. San Luis Ave, Carmel, called to report having an argument with her son of the same address.

- A Monterey resident reported a civil problem between herself and her former roommate of Berkeley.
- A Ribera Road resident reported a workman had peered in the bathroom window at her.
- A Carmel real estate broker reported juveniles trespassing on property on Via Marquita Road.

12-10 A resident on 5th St. Carmel reported her wallet was stolen from her purse while she was shopping at a local business.

- A Pacific Grove resident requested a civil standby while he removed property pursuant to a court order from a residence on Joscelyn Canyon Road, Monterey.
- A Carmel Valley Road resident reported receiving a threatening phone call that was forwarded to his voice mail from his office on Dorris Dr., Carmel Valley.
- The manager of a Carmel hotel reported someone entered a room and removed the t.v.
- A resident of a ranch near Big Sur reported that two batteries and a headlight were taken from his truck during the night while it was parked in a parking lot.
- An Irvine, California resident reported that a Carmel woman refuses to return some clothing she left in a closet at the Carmel residence on 12-9.
- A Carmel Valley woman reported being choked by her ex-boyfriend.
- A Cachagua Road resident reported ex-tenants were upset over their belongings being removed from the residence and placed outside.
- A clerk at a Carmel business reported a possible shoplifter attempting to return stolen property for credit.
- The manager of a Carmel hotel reported a t.v. was taken from a unit. The remote control unit was also taken. Entry was gained by forcing the door knob to turn (possibly with a pipe wrench or similar tool) breaking the lock mechanism. At this time there is no suspect information. Estimate loss of property is $420. Damage is estimated at $200.
- A Loma Alta, Carmel resident reported finding her 17 year old son intoxicated inside their home when she returned at 1 a.m. He became enraged when she tried to fix his bedding, scaring her. She slept in a studio apartment attached to the house. The boy was asleep when deputies arrived.



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Bob Ingram

The short guide that follows provides an overview of current tax rates for 1994 and 1995, and is designed to assist you in determining which strategies are best suited to your situation. The information contained in this article is correct in accordance with our current tax legislation

Individual Tax Rates

1994 and 1995 retain the same five individual tax brackets: 15%, 28%, 31%, and 39.6%.

Exemptions

$2,450 per person for 1994, $2,500 per person for 1995.

Standard Deductions

For 1994, single: $3,800; joint: $6,350; heads of household: $5,600; married filing separately: $3,175.

For 1995, single: $3,900; joint: $6,550; heads of household: $5,750; married filing separately: $3,275.

Capital Gains

Long-term capital gains are taxed at a maximum rate of 28%; short term capital gains are taxed at the same rate as ordinary income.

Capital Losses

Capital losses can be used to offset capital gains, dollar for dollar, up to $3,000 of excess losses can offset ordinary income, with any balance carried forward indefinitely.

Deductible IRA Contributions

If neither spouse is an active participant in a qualified retirement plan, adjusted gross income (AGI) is not a factor in determining the deductibility of IRA contributions. The deductible limit for 1994 and 1995 is $2,000 for an individual IRA, and $2,250 for a combination with a spousal IRA. The $2,250 may be divided any way, provided no account receives more than $2,000. No contribution may be made to any IRA with respect to a year in which the owner of that IRA attains the age of 70 1/2, but a contribution may be made to the IRA of that person's spouse if said spouse is under age 70 1/2.

If either spouse is an active participant in a qualified retirement plan, then the following schedule will apply:

- If you and your spouse's joint filer's AGI is less than $40,000 ($25,000 for single individual filers), your IRA contribution is fully deductible, up to $2,000.
- If you and your spouse's AGI is above $50,000 ($25,000 for single filers), your IRA contribution is nondeductible.
- If you and your spouse's AGI is between $40,000 and $50,000 ($25,000 and $25,000 for single filers), your IRA contribution is partially deductible and is phased out evenly. For example, married couples with an AGI of $45,000 would be able to deduct one-half of their IRA contribution. The limits described above ($2,000 or $2,450) are applicable, regardless of whether contributions are deductible or nondeductible.

Alternative Minimum Tax

Alternative minimum tax (AMT) rate is 26% on the first $175,000 of AMT income and 28% on the balance. AMT applies only if it exceeds the regular tax.

Itemized Deductions

- Mortgage Interest - Deduction on acquisition indebtedness is limited to $1,000,000 of debt. Home equity loans are limited to $100,000, with virtually no restrictions on use of proceeds.
- Consumer Interest - Nondeductible.
- Investment Interest - Generally deductible up to net investment income.
- State and local income taxes and real estate taxes - Deductible
- Charitable contributions - Deductible, within percentage limits.
- Miscellaneous expenses - Excess above 2% of AGI is deductible. Includes employee business and investment expenses.
- Employee deductions for business meals and entertainment - Generally, 50% deductible in 1994 and 1995, and subject to miscellaneous expense floor of 2% of AGI.
- Custodial Accounts - Unearned income of children under age 14 is taxed at the parents' marginal rate to the extent it exceeds $1,300 (First $650 is tax-free, second $650 is taxed at children's rate).

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REAL ESTATE REPORT
Carol Jensen Root

During the week of October 27, 1994 through October 31, 1994, the following properties sold. The information is provided in association with Christine Chin of Old Republic Title Company.

PEBBLE BEACH

Serrano Reconnveyance sold to Home Savings of America 3043 Sherman Road on October 25, 1994 for $318,357.00.

Delmar Kendall sold to Tescher - Levett Investments Inc a property on Del Ciervo Road, A.P. # 008-371-027, on October 28, 1994 for $485,000.00.

Jacqueline Clampett - Jones purchased 1015 Vaquero Road on October 31, 1994 for $840,000.00.

CARMEL

Paul and Kirstie Wilde sold to Timothy and Kirsten McCarthy a property on San Antonio Avenue, A.P. #010-321-045, on Ocotber 24, 1994 for $850,000.00.

Michael Gottsegen sold to Craig and Cynthia Linc 3382 Lazarro Drive on October 25, 1994 for $590,000.00.

Joseph and Sheila Mark sold to Martin and Deborah Britz 2916 Franciscan Way on October 28, 1994 for $450,000.00.

Consolidated Lenders purchased a property on Casanova Street, A.P. #010-214-022, on October 28, 1994 for $173,500.00.

CARMEL VALLEY

Nelson Foreman et al sold to John and Natali Gardiner 20580 Cachagua Road on October 21, 1994 for $175,000.00.

Stanley and Mary Noonan sold to Victor and Peggy Zabala 110 White Oaks Lane on October 24, 1994 for $310,000.00.

Quail Lodge Inc sold to Richard and Nadine Oliver, Trustees, 5464 Quail Way on October 25, 1994 for $742,500.00.

Rober and Eleanor Hoffman sold to Norma Thomas Hacienda Carmel #165 on October 28, 1994 for $170,000.00.

Elizabeth Edmundson sold to Robert and Barbara Dormady 167 El Caminito Road on October 28, 1994 for $340,000.00.

VALLEY FINANCE Douglas Pease

As we hear fresh talk about a national sales tax, or "national consumption tax," we should tune in.

We don't need more taxes. But a difference in the way we're taxed can affect our spending behavior significantly.

Our income tax system encourages us to consume. Consider the fact that state and federal income taxes can cost as much as one third of our savings interest, either directly from our accounts, or indirectly, from cash flow. As a result, many of us feel it is better to buy something with our money, instead of saving.

Our present system taxes interest on savings and lets us deduct interest on home loans; savers are penalized and borrowers live in bigger houses. As a result of the way we are taxed, we don't save much and we borrow a lot.

A sales tax does not tax savings; it taxes consumption. The more we buy, the more tax we would pay. Right now. Up front. No deductions later.

If we replace the income tax with a consumption tax, we might find ourselves saving more and consuming less. We would also buy smaller homes, because mortgage interest would not be deductible. Our money choices would change: Which is more attractive, using a lump sum to qualify for a huge 9% home loan with no deductions for interest, or putting some of it in an 8% Treasury bond, tax free?

It's not a perfect world. We all suspect congress will try to add a consumption tax on top of the existing income tax. But today's Congress person is a sensitive creature, and the final result in all likelihood will involve compromise.

Compromise could accept a balance. . . sav. a 10% across the board income tax and a 10% across the board consumption tax. The new tax laws could allow income tax rebates to indigent citizens, to offset some of the consumption tax paid on necessity items. Our wealthier citizens would pay the flat income tax and then decide daily whether to consume more or accumulate more.

Whether by income tax, consumption tax, or a blend of both, Congress will try to get enough to pay the bills. As we hear more about a national sales tax, it will be natural for us to resist change. However, in case our leaders have hit upon something useful this tine, let's not miss the debate.

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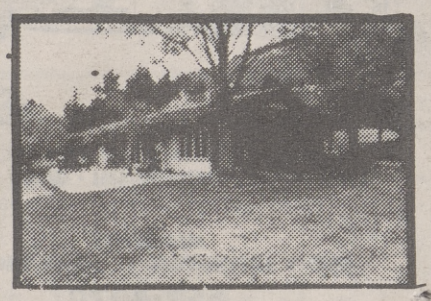

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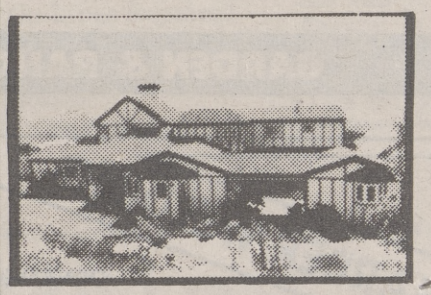

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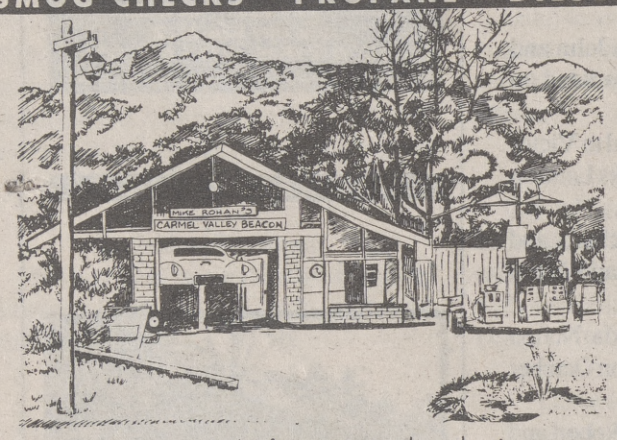

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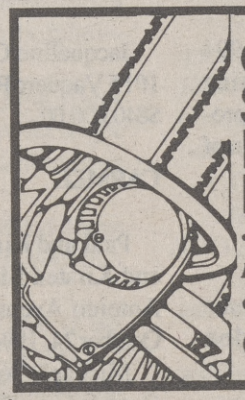

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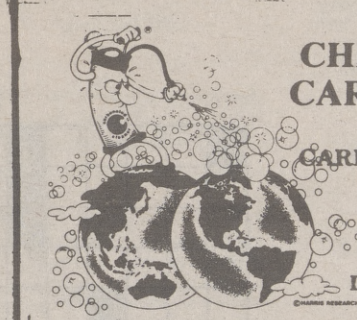

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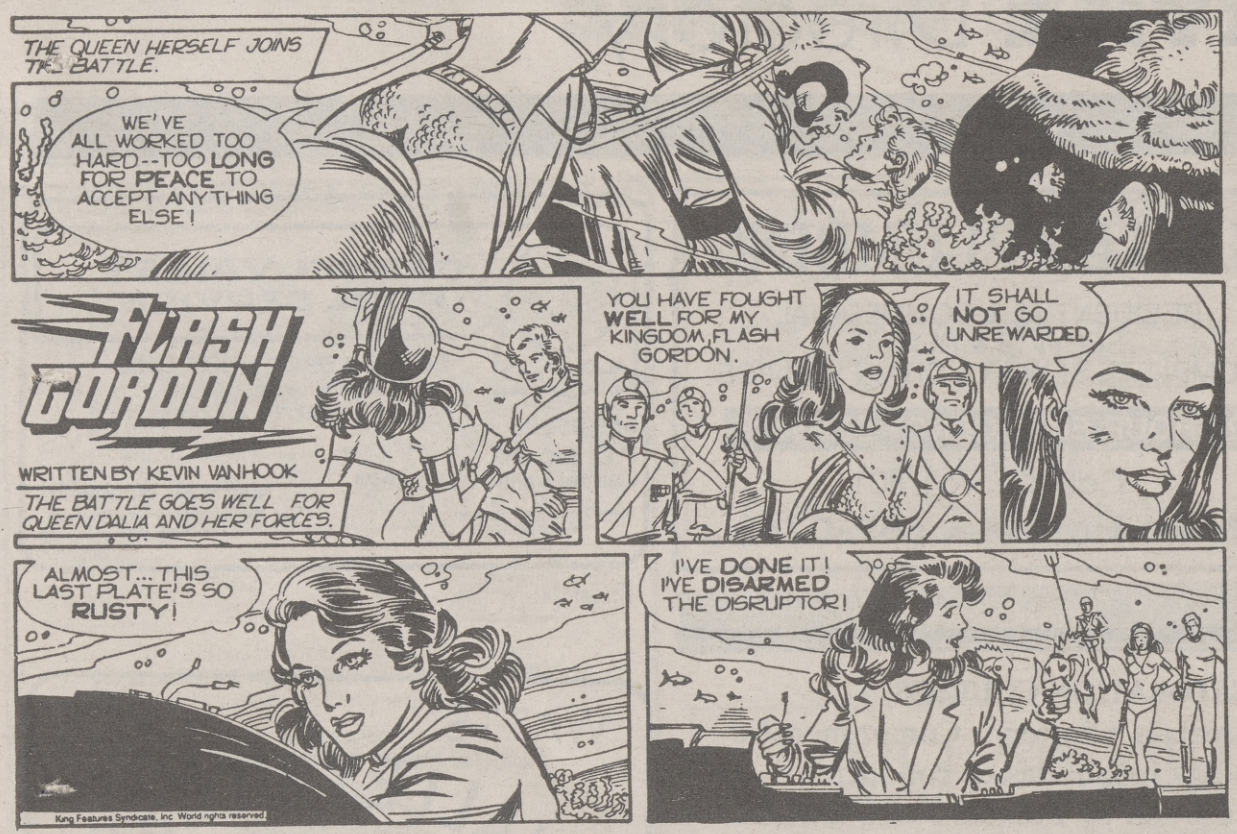
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1 Gloomy
5 Trade center
9 Mr. Lerner
13 Tulsa's st.
17 Tribal name
18 Bassoon's relative
19 A swan was her swain
20 Stringed instrument
22 Glass work
23 Aretha's essence?
24 Nightingale prop
25 Dropped the ball
26 "The Roman Hat Mystery" author
29 Tony-winning director
31 Martial-arts master
32 Promote
33 Makes one's mark
35 Have to have
36 Nudge
37 Long-legged wader
39 They're often drawn
43 Pile up
46 Nomad
48 Wise guy?
50 "Ulysses" hero
51 Grizzly's grizzly
52 Jury member
54 Flying Post
55 Toto's creator
56 Rutabaga's kin
59 Female student
61 "... — o'clock scholar"
62 Actress Wedgeworth
63 "The Miracle Worker" star
65 Unadorned
67 Roofing material
69 Cy Young stat.
70 Christian of "Kuffs"
71 Singer Harry
73 CNN host
75 Spearheaded
78 Vivacity
79 San —, Italy
81 Tawdry type
82 Way
83 Answers an alarm?
85 Bunch of ribs
87 Demolished dessert
88 Beat into shape
89 Spread the word
91 Warwick's destination?
94 The Rio Grande, e.g.
95 Tank crew?
97 Inclined
98 Press a point?
99 Literary pseudonym
101 Erie hrs.
102 Codger
103 "Bird — Wire"
106 "Too Close for Comfort" star
111 "Foggy Mountain Breakdown" composer
114 Colonel Tibbets' mom
115 Straightened up
117 Mideast bread?
118 China's Zhou —
119 Prepared pears
120 Galley features
121 Memo words
122 Oktoberfest vessel
123 "Peter Pan" pirate
124 Midwestern st.
125 Adequate
126 Fuss and feathers

DOWN
1 Twofold
2 Fred's partner
3 Well-done, to some
4 Kitchener's conquest
5 Place for prayer
6 Approximately
7 Wolf
8 Wired
9 Half and half?
10 Rachel's sister
11 Big pitcher?
12 City near Vesuvius
13 Prepare to bounce?
14 Soprano Te Kanawa
15 Forsaken
16 Baldwin of "Malice"
17 Brinkley's man
21 Citrus cooler
27 Draft device
28 "Quo Vadis?" character
30 Dotes on a dachshund
34 Cold food?
36 Formal in the gym
37 Funny Youngman
38 Sib's kid
40 Pilot
41 "A Night to Remember" author
42 Look like Hook?
43 "Waterloo" group
44 Scottish family
45 "One O'Clock Jump" composer
46 Sinbad's sack?
47 Recent: prefix
49 Actress Daly
51 Steak holder?
53 Get it
56 Volga language
57 Concept
58 Acts catty?
60 Guitarist Eddy
63 Acceptable amount
64 Marx or Malden
66 UK standard
68 Trustworthy
70 Ray
71 Laura of "Jurassic Park"
72 Author of "Daniel Deronda"
73 From the neighborhood
74 It makes rye high
76 Finish the lawn
77 "Bambi" extras
80 Bell and Barker
82 Salty Sahl
84 "Don Giovanni" feature
86 Patella's place
88 Place for tired dogs?
90 Surrealist Salvador
92 Oriental medium
93 New York neighbor
94 Coalition
96 Hire
98 Tom of "Happy Days"
100 Winning
102 Bow or Barton
103 Inspected too closely?
104 Mysterious Marsh
105 Z — zebra
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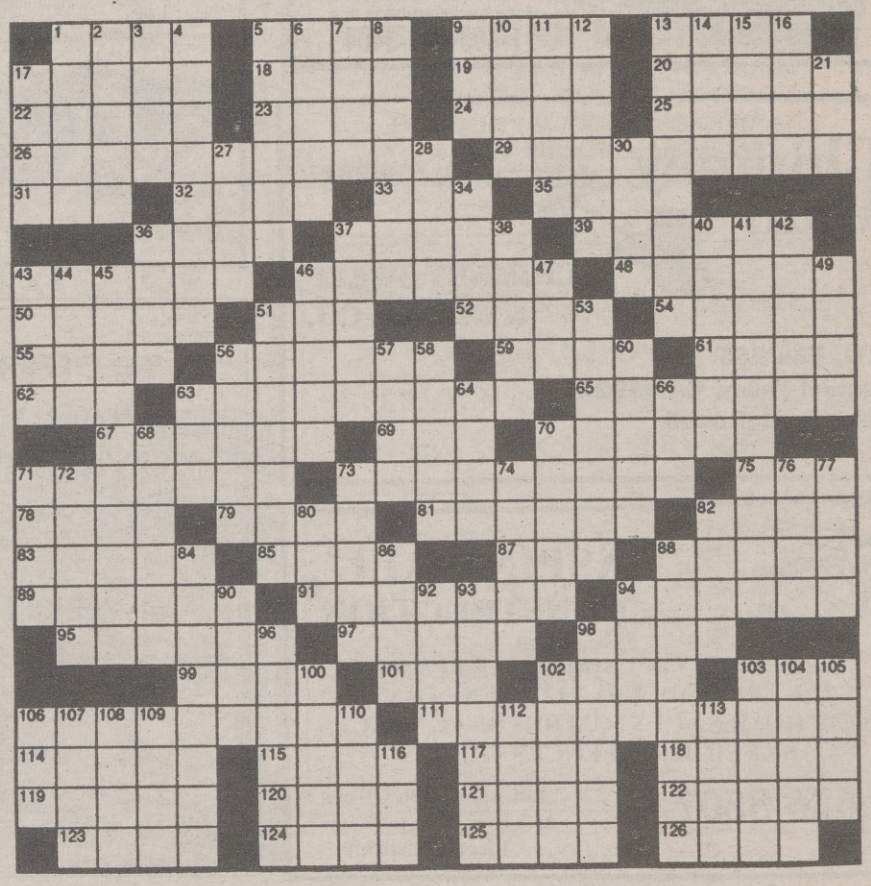

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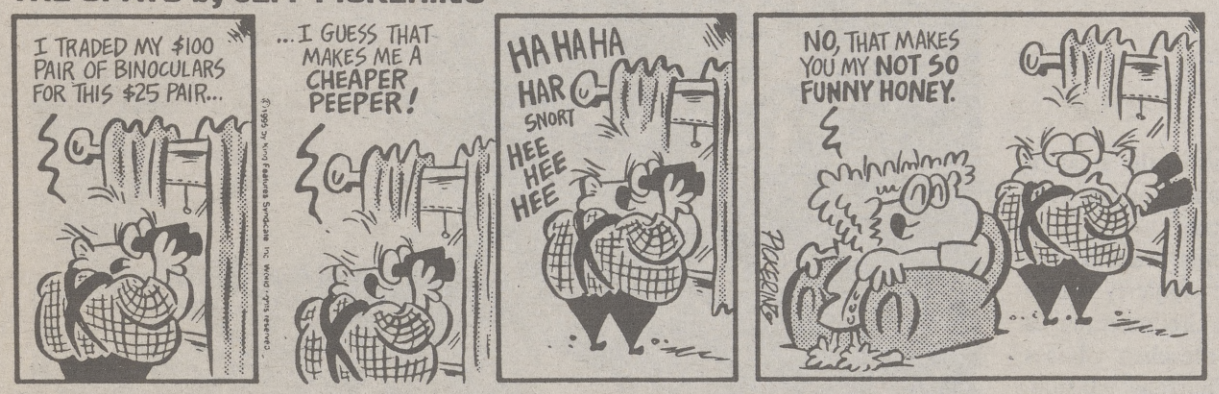
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The business is conducted by an individual.
Registrant will commence to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 1-1-95.
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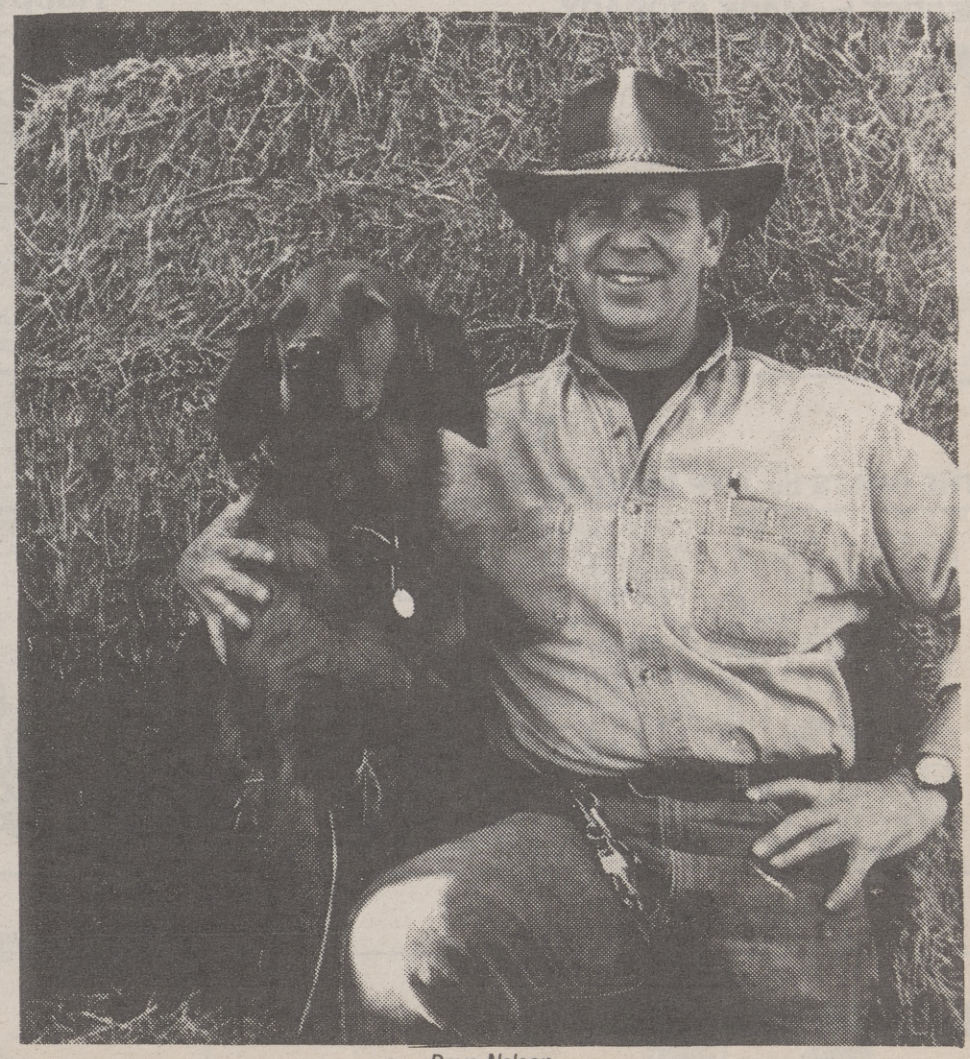
5th Grade: Science: Tanya Chapple, Marc Chaney, Andrew Stromberg, Casey Warken; Math: Alex Short, Colleen Ryan, April Camprise, Stephanie Gardner; Language Arts: Marisa Pierce, Sabrina Siino, Mike Saxton, Lexi Ingram; Social Studies: Kevin Bennie, Tyler Heron, Blake Pasco, Austin Stockwell.

Students sought for independent study program

The Pacific Valley Independent Study Program, consisting of Monterey County families in partnership with the Pacific Unified School District, is now seeking to fill openings in Kindergarten through fourth grade classes. This innovative program integrates traditional academics, foreign languages, art, music and movement in a Waldorf-inspired curriculum, fulfilling state requirements through an approach that augments traditional independent study. The program is partially funded by the school district with additional monies provided by participating families. Active involvement of parents is encouraged in the areas of curriculum enrichment and program wide planning and development.

There are fifty students presently enrolled, coming from the Monterey Peninsula, Big Sur and Salinas. Group size ranges from 10 - 15 students per teacher. Classes meet Monday through Thursday, 9;00 am. to 1:00 PM. or 2:00 PM.. Our location is the Larkin school facility in Monterey, at the corner of Scott and Watson Streets. After school care is also available.

For further information, please contact Saundra Barthel, program Co-coordinator, at 649-3204 during the school day.



Dave Nelson

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next adventure. His exploring entrepreneurial nature lead him to real-estate. "During this time I had the opportunity to send my son, Josh, to the Stevenson school in Pebble Beach. That brought me back to this area. I had come here on vacations during my college years and loved it." That sealed his fate.

He joined a bicycle touring and rental business in Carmel. "I have always enjoyed doing something different," he quips. This move led him to Bob Zobel. "He coerced me into going into business with him. I am glad. I could not have chosen a better place to raise my daughter Christine and Josh. Feels as if I have finally found a home," he states, grinning.

"This is the best business I have ever been in. The people are more relaxed. They love to talk about their animals. The focus here is more on connection with each other and nature," he philosophized. However, another adventure is on its way.

The Hacienda is in the process of expanding. Dave and Bob both recognize and appreciate the country nature of their business. "It started in 1971 in the little shed behind this store. There is a need to increase our service to this area. We are going to keep the "Old McDonald's Farm" atmosphere and architecture. The new buildings will be country barn style. We will carry even more feed and farm related equipment along with basic country style fashion. We will also be adding a line of pet foods." Good news for all who enjoy Hacienda's collection of farm animals. They stay. "We had over 3,000 children visit during October. There is no other place you can go and see farm animals."

Dave gets up and walks out into the feed yard were he pulls out a hand full of chicken feed from his pocket to feed John, one of the roosters. The fresh sweet smell of hay is overwhelming. For just a moment, you could imagine a reggae band performing on the hay bales with bunnies, pigs, chickens and fat gray geese bouncing to the beat. With Dave around, it is always a possibility. Hay and reggae.

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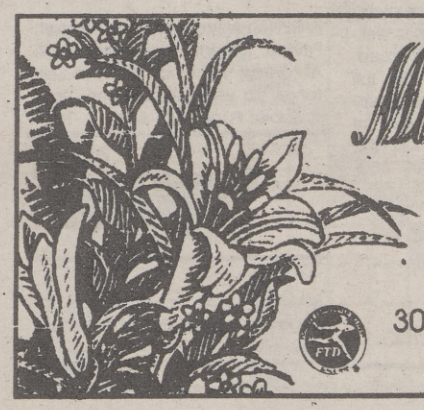
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